

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2371  
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2005  
OUTSTANDING AMOUNT OF NDMC  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) the outstanding amount of New Delhi Municipal Council against the various colonies of the postal wing of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited such as the colonies situated at Kali Bari Road, Udyan Road, and Atul Grove Road Postal Colony, Sarojini Nagar, in terms of electricity and water;

(b) the details of the action taken by the Municipal Council to recover the outstanding amount for electricity and water; and

(c) the time by which and manner in which New Delhi Municipal Council will recover the outstanding amount related to electricity and Water?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIS. REGUPATHY)

(a): Dues of New Delhi Municipal Council amounting to Rs.1,23,11,931/- towards electricity/water charges upto the billing cycle of July, 2005 are outstanding against Postal Wing of Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited in respect of colonies situated at Kali Bari Marg, Udyan Road and Atul Grove Road, New Delhi. No dues in respect of Postal Colonies at Sarojini Nagar is outstanding.

(b): The New Delhi Municipal Council issued letters/Show Cause Notices dated 12.1.2004, 12.2.2004, 8.3.2004, 19.4.2004 and 3.5.2004 to Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited for disconnection of electricity/water connections of the colonies in respect of which dues were outstanding.

(c): The Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited has deposited an amount of Rs.42,26,741/- on 8.4.2005 and the electric/water supplies were restored in these colonies. Further Show Cause Notice was sent on 6.6.2005 for payment of remaining dues amounting to Rs.1,18,44,249/- upto the billing cycle of May, 2005, failing which supply shall again be disconnected. However, till date no further payments have been made.